OUR CHOICE. FOR PRESIDENT,

JAMES G. BLAINE, of Maine. FOR VICE-PRESIDENT, JOHN A. LOGAN, of Illinois. FOR TERRITORIAL AND COUNTY OFFICERS. THE BEST MAN.

On last Thursday evening the Republicans of this city had a surprise party at the court-house, and a large number were in attendance. We call it a surprise party because no one seemed to to understand the object of the meeting even after it was organized. It originated by a few persons suggesting a meeting of a few prominent Republicans at the office of Judge Shaw, and each one was to invite his friends and ask the friends to invite their friends and so on so that when the hour appointed for the meeting arrived it was found that the Judge's office could not hold the crowd, hence an adjournment to the court house where the Republicans kept pouring in, in such numbers as to surprise every one present, and more especially the originators of the meeting, who seemed to be at a lose to know what to do with it, in fact they looked as though they had bit off more than they could chew, and for a time the meeting assumed the quict aspect of a quaker demonstration,

Col. John W. Terry was called to the chair and demanded in stentorian tones to know the object of the meeting. In answer to the demand several gentlemen volunteered to tell what they didn't know about it, and same one proposed to turn it into a love feast, and Col Blake being regarded as one of the worst of Republicans' and sinners, was called upon to relate his experience. The Col. arose with dignity amid the awful stillness which prevailed, and with solemn countenance in keeping with the occasion, and aftergropeing around in the dark for a while, finally branched off on one of the object of the meeting, Judge Shaw was the next brother called, and after smoothing the ruffles in his hair where it used to grow, remarked that he was always ready to make a speech on all occasion, and under all circumstances but for some reason or other he could not remember the object of the meeting but he felt that all his sins had been forgiven, and was ready to pour hot shot into the ranks of the enemy in all emergencies.

The next speaker called to the front was Judge W. E. Kelley, who proceeded to give his reasons for the faith that was in him, and surprised several of his friends who stated that heretofore they had always regarded him as a Democrat. This aroused the Judge's ire and he demanded a division of the house on the question why he should be mistaken for a Democrat. He said if he looked like a Demograt he wanted to know it, and wanted it settled then sud there; that he was a Republican dyed in the wool from a eotton State where it required nerve to be a Republican; (Applause,) that he stayed there as long as the probable unbealthful circumstances of the case would permit, and now he would like to know the object of the meeting?

Dr. Gochenauer responded several times without toast, and though he did not quite comprehend the object of the meeting, he was in fayor of harmony and molasses on all occasions. (Applause.)

It was finally suggested that Judge Ira E. Leonard probably held the key to the situation and knew the object of the meeting, and he was called up to explain. The venerable Judge arose with majestic dignity and informed the brothers that he was in the dark, and implored their prayers in his behalf. He desied that he had ever wavered in the faith, and to convince the brethren that he was true grit, he suggested that the meeting be turned to some account by the organization of a Republican club, after which the suggestion was changed into a motion to organize a Blains and Logan club,

sac S. Tiffany, treasurer, John S.

Mexican Republican brothers to ascertain how they may sabe the racket of the political situation, consisting of the following persons, to-wit: John M Shaw, George G. Stiles, John W. Terry, Dionitia Jaramillo and W. T. DeBaun, after which the club adjourn- more for us in the American congress ed to meet subject to the call of the than a Mexican. There can be nothing president.

The Republican Nomination-Let us

The Democratic Convention has made its nomination, and all things considered it is a strong one. While Judge Joseph is not so well known here, he has lived in Taos and Rio Ari ba, with connectious in Colfax and A Blaine and Logan Club Organized Mora, all his life; and it is understood that the Chaves Republican influence in Valincia and elsewhere will all be thrown for him. This makes it importaut for the Republicans to consider the circumstances well before they nomin-Three names are auggestedthose of Mariano S. Otero, L. Bradford Prince and W. L. Rynerson; although Mr. Otero has frequently said he dees not desire the nomination. The party votes in the Territory are about equal, with probably on a full vote 300 or 400 Republican preponderance, if each party is united, but unfortunately while the Democrats will pull solidly for Joseph, the Repulicans have dissensions. These are specially in San Miguel where the party is split about in the middle between the Joseph and Romero factions and in Valincia, where Col Chavez heads a large element understood to favor Joseph. This latter defection alone will throw the election Domocratic, unless it can be made up for elsewhere. there are also 400 or 500 Republican voters in Albuquesque which will vote against any Perea or Bernalillo ticket, The mining vote of about 3000 is not tied to party, but goes for or against a a man almost unanimously. Now with these conditions let us see how the proposed candidates will come out. M Otero will lose the 400 or 500 in Albuquerque, but will make up enough in the rest of Bernslillo county to offset it. He cannot hope for the Romero

vote in San Miguel, which is personally hostile to the Peres family. That loses say 1200. He is directly opposed by Chavez and his Valincia forces, and he cannot get more than a few hundred at most of the mining votes. A large expenditure of money would make up his old Iowa campsign speeches, which part of these losses, but nothing like arroused considerable enthusiasm, but enough for success. Colonel Ryn-rleft them all still in a quandary as to son can probably get half of the disaffected Albuquervue vote, and can poll many more of the mining votes than M. Otero, but he cannot reach the disaffected votes of Valencia or San Miguel and in the Northern counties where Joseph is the strongest he has no acquaintance. Judge Prince has his greatest personal strength in Rio Ariba, Twos and Mora, where he could more than offset Joseph's strength, and can carry the whole American voic of Las Vegas and Albuquerque. He is the only candidate mentioned who is friendly with both factions in San Miguel, and he can poll the entire mining vote except perhaps 100 controlled by Col. Webb, and that will go for Joseph at any rate. He could not hope to seenrithe Chavez vote in Valencia, but he would lose, and would be far more than made up for by the Democratic by an active personal campaign. In short his nomination would be equivalent to an election, and the party should pity them for the reason that a man

On next Monday the Republicans of New Mexico will assemble at Santa Fe for the purpose of selecting their standard bearer to lead them in the race for delegate to congress. Will they chose a representative man, or will they nominate a plug? Will they select a man who has ideas and represents the progressive element of the Territory, or will they bring out a slow-going coach who is a century behind the times? Will they put up a man that will advance the interest of the people, or will they put forth a stick-in-the-mud who will oppose all worthy enterprises pertaining to the progress and development of the country. We have nothing to say against our native delegates who have repretheir American brothers no rights is pretty good—one of the most active which they would respect? Would it be less than a matter of courtesy that and the one who did more than any which carried, and forty or fifty names our Mexican friends should concede one else to count him out, was Max

him its candidate.

resident; J. D. Woodyard, secretary; they over considered that an American gained by going around the stump. Facts | party. are facts. If the government at Washington makes no distinction, then why is it that we see no Mexicans occupying our Federal offices. If the goverament recognizes the people of New Mexico without distinction of the races, why is it our Mexican delegates are not able with their influence to control the Federal appointments and have the offices at least partly filled with members of their own race? So long as we are compelled to send Mexican delegates to congress, just so long congress will recognize the fact that ignorance prevails, and we cannot expect much at its hands, therefore we hope pecessities of the hour, and will not

secordingly. Two things are to be thought of in nominating a delegate: First-can be be elected? Second-will be be the most useful to the Territory after election? The battle is very important. In older times there was little for a delegate to do, and for the past eight has the energy to get a bill passed. er ten years nothing has been accomplished that any one can remember. But things have changed. We are living in a new era-that of progress. We are approaching Statehood and must prepare for it. Exceedingly important matters press upon us. We cannot afford to lose two years to suit any private or personal or political wishes. The Territory has a right to the time and labor in congress of her most efficient citizen without regard to party. And looking at it in this way we do not believe there is a man, Republican or Democrat, who will not cheerfully scimit that Judge Prince can do more to benefit the Territory than any one else. That seems to be conceded, and that very fact will give him hundreds of votes of independent men who care little for politics, but are suxious for the rapid development of New Mexico. Then let him be nominated and elected !

We feel personally very friendly to Col. Rynerson, and we therefore ask him and his intimate firiends in the most friendly way, whether they have fore the people as a candidate for delegate will have in bringing into unpleasant prominence the great trouble of years ago in connection with the killing of Chief Justice Slough. While the Colonel may have been as justifiable as possible, yet this would be made a battle-ery, and would r quire constant, explanation. There being but one Territorial office to be filled, brings the candidate into the full glare of observation; whereas, on a State ticket of 5 or 6, they are not so conspicuous. We would advise Col Rynerson to take some high appointive office, or wait for a full State ticket.

We often meet men who decline to subscribe for their home paper on the that would be the only Republican vote grounds that they can't afford it. Such men always have our deepest sympathy, for a man's fixancial condition must be votes in the the Northern counties and hopeless indeed when he reasons with the mining vote, and by the gains made himself that he is not liable to have as much as two dollars to spare during the year for the county paper. We hasten to insure success by making who is so utterly despondent, hardly ever betters his condition in life financially or mentalty, but continues to grope along through the world in ignorance and poverty.

Is it not time that the city of Socorro and the Southern part of the Territory should be recognized and receive some of the political honors? Every prominent city in the Territory has been honored with political conventions except Socorro, which is centrally located and has as many facilities and accomodations as any other place. We hope the Southern delegates and members of the Territorial Central Committee will demand that the next conventions of either party shall be held

The Golden Retort avers that Prince was the candidate for the Santa Fe ring sented this Territory for many years, two years ago. If our recollection of but is it not time for a change? Have the matter is correct—and our memory men against Prince in that convention, were some enrolled for membership, the delegateship occasionally; or would Frost, and Max Frost doesn't take a when they proceeded to sleet for presi- they profer to bog it all, just simply back seat for any of them, in the Sandent of the club, W. E. Maynard, vice- because they have the power? Have to Fe ring .- Journal.

We understand that the Secretarycan better represent and do more for ship of the Republican Territorial the advancement of the Territory than Central committee will be conceded to On motion a conference committee a Mexican? If we were attached to the city of Socorro. We hope this is was appointed to confer with the the government of Old Mexico as a true as we are certainly entitled to Territory, every person with a reason- some consideration of the hands of the able mind must concede the fact that a party. Among the good names of Mexican delegate could better represent those suggested for that position are us than an American. Then if this be F. A. Thompson, Dr. Gochancauer, true, the same must be true that a good | Judge W. E. Kelley and I. S. Tiffany. live representative American can do All of them are good, live, active republicans, and either of them would fill the position no doubt with credit to the

We are in receipt of the second number of the New Mexico, a new monthly publication just started at Santa Fe by S. W. Bear & Co., devoted to the mining and cattle interest. It is a nest paper and contains good selections of reading matter.

The Socorro CHIEFTAIN agrees with the Journal that no man can be elected to Congress on the Republican ticket in New Mexico this fall, who is not acceptable to the mining element .-

At the meeting of the Blaine and our next convention will recognize the | Logan Club last week, the sentiment was unanimous for Prince for delegate, and the mention of his name was received with applause and much enthu-

> We need the speedy adjustment of grant titles, by an impartial commission or some equally fair method. Then elect a man like Judge Prince, who

> In many sections we greatly need better postal facilities, and an increased number of post offices. Then nominate Judge Prince, who will have all such things speedily attended to.

> If Judge Prince receives the Repubican nomination, he will carry Socor re county by a large majority.

> The Democratic child is born, and his name is Joseph!

> Maud S. is now the property of Robert Bonner Esq.

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K, of P. Rio Grande Lodge No. 3. Moeta at Castle Hall over Court House, every Wednesday at 7:30, p. m. Visiting Broabers will receive a chivalrie welcome. Sam L C. Mack. GEO. W. FOX, 3r. K. of P. and S.; C. C. C.

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(No. 226.) APPLICATION FOR PATENT,

At Las Cruces, N. M., June 17th, 1884.

NOTICE is hereby given that Gastav Billing, whose not fice address is Secorts in the county of Socorto, New Mexico, has this day filed his apply results for a peteint for off of linear feet of the Short Freed mine or vest, hearing all er and had with surie er ground doof feet in which, sinus en a Marchalenta Minang District, county of Scorte, and Textfory of New Marco, and designed his in the office as suriety No. 478, in textmelly I south of the growth of the Scorte, and Textfory of New Marco, and designed his office as suriety No. 478, in textmelly I south of the growth of the suriety of New Marco, and designed his office as suriety No. 478, in textmelly I south of the growth of the suriety of the suriety

inc draphic loss inde.

Any and all persons claiming selversely any portion of said Silent Frient mine or surface ground are required to file their adverse claims with the Register of the United states Lind 'office at Lin Graces, in the Territory of New Mexico, during the sixt dava period of publication hereof, or they will be barred by virue of the provisions of the Statute.

Town R. McKin, Register. 8-78 JOHN R. McFin, Register, Hagan & Tiffany, Atty's for applicant.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION. LAND OFFICE AT SANTA FE. N. M., 1

Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the probate Judge of Valen-cia county, at Los Lunas, N. M., on Oct. 4th, 1884, viz:

LORENZO SAMORA, of Valencia county. LORENZO SAMORA, OF Valencia county, for the e †, n e †, e †, s e †, sec 13, tow'p 3 n, r 12 e. He names the following winnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, said land, viz. Jesus Samora, Filomine Samora, Jose Mirabal, tipriano Ballegos, all of Sabinal P. O., N. M. MAX FROST, 14-19

(Homestead No. 2010.) NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION. LAND OFFICE AT SANTA FE, N. M., }

Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the Probate Judge of Socorro county, at Socorro, N. M., on Oct. 11, 1884 viz.

IGNACIO BACA, Y CHAVEE of SOCOTO county, for the s w i, n e i, s i, s e i, n w
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names the following witnesses to prove
his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, said land, viz: Felipe Ortegs,
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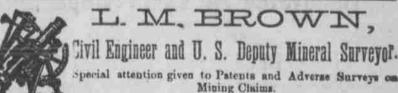
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W D. CARRUTH, on pre-emption de-claratory statement, No. 1247, for the swit nein 1, seit, and seit, seit, sec. 17, tow'p 4 south, range 20 west. Witnesses: C. B. Martin, M. D. Taylor, R. J. Bishop and O. B. Beshop, all of Socorro Co. N. M.

C. B. MARTIN, on pre-emption declaratory statement. No. 1248, for

atory statement. No. 1248, for the s e \( \frac{1}{2} \), s e \( \frac{1}{2} \), s e \( \frac{1}{2} \); s \( \frac{1}{2} \), s w \( \frac{1}{2} \), sec. 27, tow'p 5 smuth, range 20 west. Witnesses: W. D. Carruth. M. D. Taylor, R. J. Bishop and O. B. Bishop, all of Socorro Co., N. M.

M. D. Taylor, on pre-emption decistatory statement, No. 1249, for the s \( \frac{1}{2} \), s e \( \frac{1}{2} \) sec. 29, and e \( \frac{1}{2} \), n e \( \frac{1}{2} \), sec. 29, tow'p \( 4 \), range 20 w. Witnesses: C. B. Martin, W. D. Carruth. R. J. Bishop and O. B. Bishop, all of Socorro Co., N. M.

13-17 JOHN R. McFire Register. min east 6" feet to corner number two better; the second here 20 min east 125, 8 feet to corner number three better it thence south 7°, 40 min was 185, 8 feet to corner number four hereof; thence north 2°, 30 min was 185, 8 feet to corner number on the professional to corner number on the second of the second of the second of the place of beginning; containing 1253 attraction of the Ella Mill Site, survey No. 48 "M" bars neath 2°, 20 min east 6.7 29 feet distant. Magnetic winton 13°. The location of the inline is recorded in the Recorder a office of fector of the 125 min grains are the Ella Mill Site with surface ground 23° feet in ALSI, for a patent for 747. 49 linear feet of the Ella Mill Site, with surface ground 23° feet is width, intended at Iron Mountain bring District, county of Socoro, and Territory of New Mexico, and enjeated by the field notes and official plats on file in this office as survey number 46° B, In towaship one a such of range aix weak, of New Sexico princi, ai meridian, and southeast quarter of section 2°, said survey No. 45° B" being as follows. 6-with meridian and southeast quarter of section 2°, said survey No. 45° B" being as follows. 6-with meridian and southeast quarter of section 2°, said survey No. 45° B" being as follows. 6-with meridian and southeast quarter of section 2°, said survey No. 45° B" being as follows. 6-with meridian and southeast quarter of section 2°, said survey No. 45° B" being as follows. 13-17 JOHN R. McFie, Register,

[Homestead No. 2231.] NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION. LAND OFFICE AT SA TA FE, N. M., ) August 5th, 1884.

Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof wit be made before the Probate Judge of Valen-cia county, at Los Lunas, N. M., on Oct. 4. 1884, viz:

4. 1884, viz:

JESUS SAMORA, of Valencia county, for the et., s. 2, Lots 3-4, see 18 tow'p 3 n, r 18 e. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cuitivation of, said land, viz: Lorenzo Samo a. Filomino "amora, Jose Miratal, Cipriano Ballegos, all of Sabinal P. O. N. M. MAX FROST. P. O. N. 1 14-19

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION. Land Office at Las Cruces, N. M., July Notice is hereby given that the follow-ing named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before Probate Clerk of So-

corro county, at Socorro, N. M., on Sept. 11th, 1884. viz: Joseph H. Ware, on homestead No. 736, for the set, swt, sec. 18, ct, nwt and net, swt, sec. 19, t4s, r6w. He names the foll wing witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, said land, viz: Frank Piere.
Joe Emmerson. E. I., Smack and Tomas
Chavez, all of Socorro Co., N. M.
13-17 JOHN R. McFie, Register.

bute your respective proportion of said ex-penditure in said claim, it will become the

property of the sub-eriber under said Section 2834. Signed 7-20 ROBERT A. MCCLELLAS.

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August 5th, 1884.

Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the Probate Judge of Valencia ceunty, at Los Lunas, N. M., on Oct.

4, 1883. viz: 
Fricomno Samona, of Valencia county for the e 4, n w 4, Lots 1—2, sec. 18, tow'n Silver Mountain Mining distric. Socor, ro county, Territory of New Mexico-June 19th, A. D., 1884. To William Smyth and others whom it may concern: You are hereby notified that I, the undersigned, have expended 100 dollars worth for the e ½, n w ½, Lots 1—2, sec. 18, towp for the e ½, n w ½, Lots 1—2, sec. 18, towp 3 n, r 13 e. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, said land, viz. Jesus Samors, Lorenzo Samora, Jose Mirabal, Cipriano Ballegos, all of Sabinal P. O., N. M.

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14-19 Register. of work in labor which has been ex-pended on the Mazgle Merchant lode mining claim situated in Silver mountain mining district, Secure county, Territory

mining district, Secord county, Territory of New Mexico, during the year ending December 31st, 1883. Such expenditure was made by Robert A. McC cllan, one of the owners or said mining claim, in order to h ld the said claim under Nection 2324 Revised Statutes of the United States, being the amount required to hold the same for the year ending December 31st, 1883; and if, within the period of ninety days after the publication of ed of ninety days after the publication of

July 19th, 1854. 1

Complaint having been entered at this office by George J. arvin against Miguel theers, who make homestead enery No. 42 if. C. 156), on March 18th, 1854, for the north half, northwest quarter, sec. 1, and each half, northwest quarter, sec. 1, and on a half, northwest quarter, sec. 1, and on the northwest a view to the cancellation of said makey the naid consessant alleging that the said Miguel Glaswer has there are in the law as regards calcivation. You are hereby summer that an Appear at this lifter on highermore q. 1, D., limit at 10 o'clock, a. m., to respect that fusiness instituting suscepting such alleged failures.

follows, 0.00 II.

Beg miding at corner number one hersof whence the southerst currier of section 27 in township 1 s oth o range 6 west bears south 13°C, 92 min 30 sec east 521.75 feet d stant; thence north, 72°C, to min east 27.0 feet to corner number two hereof; thence nor h \$2°C, 20 minutes west along the south side line of £1 a lone aurvey No. 456 "A." 747.45 feet to corner number four hereof; thence south \$2°C, 20 min east 74°C.45 feet to corner number four hereof; thence south \$2°C, 20 min east 74°C.45 feet to corner number one hereof, the place of beginning containing \$405 acr.8 of land. From corner number we hereof corner number one of the £11a Mine survey No. 456 "A" bears north £2°C, 20 min west 60°C 25 test sixtant.

This hill bite is located in connection with the said Ella Mine survey No. 456 "A" and adjoins the name on the south and hembraced and included in an appill, at 1.0 for a patent to said Ella Mine and will be patented therewith. Magnetic variation 13°C, 5 min east.

The location of this mill are is conorded in the incorner's office of Secorto county in Book 9, page 15°C of Mining incorns. The adjoining claims and set the kills lode on the north, no other claims known.

Any and all respons claiming adversely any north.

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Any and all persons claiming adversely any portion of sais Ells mine and Ells mill site or surface ground are required to file their ait era-claims with the togis er of the United States Land Office at Las Cru es in the Territory of New Mexico, during the sixt days period of publication hereof, of they will be barred by irrue of the provisions of the Statute.

John R. McFis, negative.

[Homestead No. 2230.]

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LAND OFFICE AT SANTA FE, N.M.

August 5th, 1884.

TOWN R. McFIR Register.